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## 02 January

10:00 - 12:00 Minister on Govt media duty - Mon 2nd to Thurs 5th (incl.) ↻

## 03 January

10:00 - 12:00 Minister on Govt media duty - Mon 2nd to Thurs 5th (incl.) ↻

## 04 January

10:00 - 12:00 Minister on Govt media duty - Mon 2nd to Thurs 5th (incl.) ↻

## 05 January

08:30 - 10:00 Minister on Govt media duty - Mon 2nd to Thurs 5th (incl.) ↻

11:00 - 11:30 John McCarthy (CH)

12:00 - 12:30 David Kelly (CH)

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# 09 January 2012 - 15 January 2012

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## 09 January

- 16:00 - 16:30 IBAL Anti-Litter League Photoshoot (Shelbourne Hotel (Adams Suite))

## 10 January

## 11 January

- 09:00 - 10:00 FG Ministers' meeting with the Taoiseach
- 09:45 - 10:00 Briefing with Una Ní Dhubhghaill re Memo for Govt (LH)
- 10:15 - 13:00 Government meeting (Council Chamber)
- 14:35 - 15:05 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH)
- 15:05 - 15:15 Briefing with officials (LH)
- 15:15 - 15:45 Rehab re Recycling (LH)

## 12 January

- 08:45 - 09:30 Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy MEP (10G318)
- 09:30 - 12:30 Workshop on the 7th EAP (Brussels)
- 12:30 - 12:45 Interview with Limerick Live 95 FM
- 13:00 - 13:30 MEPs Margrete Auken and Bas Eickhout (7H149)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Sean Kelly MEP

## 13 January

- 10:30 - 13:30 PMB: Local Authority Public Administration Bill 2011 (LH)

## 14 January

- 14:00 - 15:00 Meeting with Senan Cook and Paudie Coffey TD (Dunhill Enterprise Centre, Co. Waterford)

## 15 January

# 16 January 2012 - 22 January 2012

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## 16 January

- 07:15 - 07:45 Morning Ireland interview (RTE, Donnybrook.)
- 09:30 - 10:00 Interview with Sue Nunn, KCLR [by phone from LH office]
- 12:00 - 13:30 Opening of extension to Carlow IT (Carlow)
- 14:45 - 15:00 Briefing with Don via videolink (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Sr Stanislaus Kennedy (CH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Meeting with Niali Harrington and Indian delegation (CH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Diary with David (CH)
- 17:30 - 18:00 Sec. Gen. (CH)

## 17 January

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↗
- 10:15 - 13:15 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↗
- 14:30 - 14:45 Eddie (LH)
- 14:45 - 15:15 Debrief with Sec Gen [by phone] (LH)
- 15:15 - 15:30 Briefing with officials - Denis Conlan, Tom Sheridan (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:15 Association of Irish Regions (Room 716 LH)
- 16:15 - 17:00 Des Dowling, Denis Conlan (LH)
- [REDACTED]
- 18:00 - 18:30 Professor Jimmy Burke (LH)

## 18 January

- 08:00 - 08:30 Frank Flannery (Davenport)
- 09:00 - 09:15 Briefing for GPP launch (LH)
- 09:15 - 09:45 GPP Launch with Minister Howlin (LH / Govt Press Center)
- 10:00 - 13:15 Committee Stage of the Water Services (Amendment) Bill ctd/ (Committee Room 4)
- 14:30 - 17:30 Committee Stage of the Water Services (Amendment) Bill ctd/ (Committee Room 4)
- [REDACTED]
- 18:00 - 21:00 Committee Stage of the Water Services (Amendment) Bill ctd/ (Committee Room 4)

## 19 January

- 08:00 - 09:30 Cabinet Ctte on Economic Recovery and Jobs (LH)
- 11:00 - 12:00 Briefing on Limerick Regeneration Prog with Minister O'Sullivan (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Peter Fitzpatrick TD (LH)
- 12:30 - 13:00 Eddie (LH)
- 13:00 - 13:30 John O'Mahony TD (LH)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Briefing for Bilateral with the Taoiseach (LH)
- 18:30 - 19:00 Meeting with Taoiseach and MoSs re PFG and SoS - SG and Michael Layde attending (Govt Buildings)
- 21:00 - 22:00 Primetime interview re Septic Tanks (RTÉ, Donnybrook.)
- 22:00 - 22:30 Travel to Limerick

## 20 January

- 08:45 - 09:30 Meeting with community reps re Lk Regen. (Castletroy Park Hotel)
- 10:00 - 10:45 Briefing with Regeneration Agency (Watch House Cross, Moyross)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Open AMCS Group R&D Facility (Crecora, Limerick)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Limerick County Council (County Hall)
- 12:30 - 13:00 Launch of Environmental Strategy & Waste Initiative (Council Chamber)
- 13:45 - 14:15 Meeting with Manager and Management Team (County Hall)
- 14:15 - 15:30 Meeting with County Councillors (County Hall)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Visit Novas Initiatives Shelter (Brother Russell House, Mulgrave Street)
- 16:45 - 17:00 Limerick City Manager (City Hall)
- 17:00 - 18:00 Meeting with City Councillors (City Hall)
- 18:30 - 19:30 Limerick Chamber of Commerce Reception

## 21 January

## 22 January

# 23 January 2012 - 29 January 2012

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## 23 January

- 14:15 - 14:45 Des Dowling, Sean McKeown, Donal Enright (CH)
- 14:45 - 15:00 Briefing with Eddie Lewis (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Marjorie Moore & Anne Coffey & Peter Fenton (KARE) (CH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Diary with David (CH)

## 24 January

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room)
- 10:15 - 13:00 Government Meeting (Council Chamber)
- 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch meeting with Jim Campion, John Given (Cellar Restaurant)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Meeting with Minister Shatter re InkEX (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:15 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH)
- 15:15 - 15:45 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Topical Issues Debate x 2 (LH)
- 18:00 - 18:30 John Kettle
- 19:30 - 20:30 Meeting with the Taoiseach and Frank Flannery (Taoiseach's office)

## 25 January

- 11:15 - 13:30 Report Stage - Dail - Water Services (Amendment) Bill (LH)
- 14:45 - 15:45 Meeting with Minister Noonan (Minister Noonan's office, LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Kevin Gilna (Merrion Hotel)
- 16:30 - 19:30 Report Stage - Dail - Water Services (Amendment) Bill (LH)
- 20:00 - 21:00 Political meeting on LG Reform (LH)

## 26 January

- 08:15 - 10:00 MinMAC (CH)
- 10:15 - 10:45 Crinniú Campas Glas: Green-Campus Alliance Meeting: Smarter Sustainable Campus Communities (Celtic Room, Cusack Stand, Croke Park)
- 11:10 - 13:30 11.10am - Report Stage - Dail - Water Services (Amendment) Bill (LH)
- 15:00 - 16:30 Local Govt Review Implementation Group (CH)

## 27 January

- 11:00 - 11:30 Official Opening of South Leinster DBO Scheme (Castlewarren, Co. Kilkenny)
- 11:45 - 12:15 Official Opening of South Leinster DBO Scheme (Ballinabrannagh, Co. Carlow)
- 13:00 - 14:30 Presentation of Group Water Scheme plaques (Lord Bagenal Inn, Leighlinbridge)
- 20:00 - 22:00 Cancer Fundraiser (Kilkenny)

## 28 January

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# 30 January 2012 - 05 February 2012

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## 30 January

- 15:30 - 16:00 Eddie (CH)
- 16:00 - 16:15 Diary with David (LH)

## 31 January

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 10:15 - 13:00 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↻
- 15:15 - 15:30 Minister Deenihan re MFG (LH)
- 15:45 - 16:00 Briefing with officials (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Sligo County Council Delegation (Room 716 LH)
- 17:00 - 17:15 Topical Issues Debate (LH)

## 01 February

- 11:00 - 11:30 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 11:45 - 13:15 Report to the Seanad on Dail amendments to the Water Services (Amendment) Bill (LH)
- 13:15 - 14:45 Seanad - Statements and Q&A on Local Government Reform (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Eddie (LH)
- 16:00 - 17:30 Briefing on PQs (LH)

## 02 February

- 11:45 - 13:45 Seanad: Second Stage Electoral Amendment Political Funding Bill (LH)
- 15:00 - 16:30 Keep free for prep for PQs (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:45 PQs

## 03 February

- 09:30 - 10:00 Launching HSE S/East Community Care Policy (Waterford Road, Caredoc centre)
- 10:30 - 11:30 Opening of new Health Centre (Callan)
- 14:30 - 16:30 Ireland Funds Annual Rugby Luncheon (Shelbourne Hotel)

## 04 February

- 20:00 - 23:00 Mayo Association Annual Awards (Burlington Hotel)

## 05 February

# 06 February 2012 - 12 February 2012

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## 06 February

- 09:00 - 09:30 VHI (Kilkenny)
- 15:00 - 16:00 Meeting with County Manager - Tipperary - Clonmel
- 16:30 - 17:00 Interview with RTE (Minella Hotel)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Tipperary Nationalist (Clonmel)
- 20:00 - 21:30 Public meeting re Septic Tanks (Cashel)

## 07 February

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↗
- 10:00 - 10:30 Interview with Galway Bay FM [by phone] (LH)
- 10:30 - 13:00 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↗
- 14:15 - 14:30 Eddie (LH)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↗
- 15:00 - 15:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Eddie (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 17:30 - 17:45 Eddie (LH)
- 17:45 - 18:45 Seanad - Political Funding Bill Second Stage ctd. (LH)
- 19:30 - 22:30 Dinner with the Ambassador of the Kingdom of Morocco (Windermere, Westminster Road, Foxrock)

## 08 February

- 10:00 - 10:15 Minister to meet the Expert Group on Property Tax [10mins] (Withdrawing Room, CH)
- 12:00 - 13:00 Eddie (LH)
- 20:00 - 21:30 Minister to address the Michael Collins 22 Society (Kilkenny)

## 09 February

- 09:00 - 09:30 John McCarthy (CH)
- 09:30 - 09:45 Launch of Registration Body for Quantity and Building Surveyors (CH)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Meeting with Minister Deenihan and Fr. Sean McDonagh (Minister Deenihan's office, Kildare St.)

## 10 February

- 10:00 - 11:30 Meet with Cavan Councillors (Council HQ, Courthouse, Farnham St.)
- 11:30 - 12:30 Visit Local Projects around town (Cavan)
- 12:30 - 12:40 Photo with retiring Fireman Malachi Lennon (County Buildings)
- 12:40 - 12:45 FG Cllrs re Crossdoney-Cornafean Road (Courthouse, Cavan)
- 12:45 - 13:00 Meeting with Deputy O'Reilly and FG County Exec (Council Chamber, Courthouse)
- 13:00 - 13:15 Meeting with IFA (Council Chamber, Courthouse)
- 13:30 - 15:00 AMAI Annual Seminar (Kilmore Hotel, Cavan)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Interview with Indo & Anglo Celt (Hotel Kilmore)
- 16:00 - 16:15 Cllr Paddy O'Reilly & Virginia Show Society re LEADER funding (Virginia College)

## 11 February

- 17:30 - 18:30 All-Ireland Club Junior Hurling Championship Final (Croke Park)
- 19:30 - 23:00 BLACK TIE: LAMA Awards 2012 (Crowne Plaza, Santry)

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## 13 February

- 09:00 - 09:30 "JoinIn" Work Conference (WIT co-partners) (Parade Tower, Kilkenny Castle)
- 11:00 - 12:00 Minister to visit the EPA's offices in Kilkenny
- 14:30 - 15:00 Diary with David (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Courtesy Call Italian Ambassador (CH)
- 15:30 - 15:45 Secretary General (CH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Eddie (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Mark Griffin (CH)
- 18:30 - 19:30 Frank Flannery (Merrion Hotel)

## 14 February

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ☺
- 10:15 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ☺
- 14:30 - 15:00 Eddie (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Senator Fiach McConghail and Prof David Farrell (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ☺
- 16:30 - 17:00 Andrew Doyle (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Pat McCormack (Merrion Hotel)

## 15 February

- 10:30 - 10:45 Eddie (LH)
- 10:45 - 11:15 Briefing for Committee Stage of the Electoral (Amendment) (Political Funding) Bill (LH)
- 11:45 - 15:00 Seanad - Committee Stage - Electoral (Amendment) (Political Funding) Bill (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Claire Langton (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:15 Sen. Imelda Henry (LH)
- 16:15 - 16:30 Yvonne Hyland (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Eddie
- 18:30 - 19:00 TDs Terence Flanagan, Sean Kenny and Tommy Broughan re Priory Hall (LH)

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## 20 February

- 14:00 - 14:30 Tracey Cooper, CEO HIQA (CH)
- 14:30 - 14:45 Riona Ní Fhlánghaile re Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill (CH)
- 14:45 - 15:15 Briefing with officials for meeting with IWMA and DKM (CH)
- 15:15 - 15:45 IWMA + DKM re Waste Policy (CH)
- 15:45 - 16:00 Sean McKeown, Yvonne Hyland (CH)
- 16:00 - 17:30 MinMAC (CH)
- 17:30 - 18:00 Sec. Gen., John McCarthy (CH)

## 21 February

- 08:30 - 09:00 Meeting with John Quirke (Minister Deenihan's Office)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 10:15 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 13:30 - 13:45 John and Megan Hickey (LH)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Eddie
- 15:00 - 15:30 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↻
- 15:30 - 17:00 Meeting with City and County Managers (LG House, Usher's Quay)
- 17:00 - 18:00 Government meeting (Council Chamber)
- 18:00 - 19:00 Seanad - Resumed - Committee Stage - Electoral (Amendment) (Political Funding) Bill (LH)
- 19:15 - 19:45 TCD 10th Sustainability Week (Science Gallery, TCD)
- 19:45 - 20:00 Clive Nunn Furniture Website Launch (Cellar Bar, Merrion Hotel)

## 22 February

- 09:00 - 09:30 Eddie (LH)
- 09:30 - 10:00 Diageo Irl. (LH)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Irish Property Owners Association (LH)
- 10:30 - 11:30 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 11:30 - 12:00 Fiona Quinn re GMOs for ENV Council (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Eoghan Murphy (LH)
- 12:30 - 13:00 Eddie (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Pat Spillane re Rural Affairs (LH)
- 16:30 - 19:30 Dail - Second Stage - MV (Duties and Licences) Bill (LH)

## 23 February

- 09:00 - 09:30 Kevin Gilna (Merrion Hotel)
- 09:30 - 10:00 Briefing - Pathways to Work (Sycamore Room)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Launch of National Disability Authority publication (Radisson Blu Hotel, Golden Lane, Dublin 1.)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Des Dowling, Denis Conlan (LH)
- 15:00 - 16:15 Attend the LGAS Conference (LG House, Ushers Quay)

## 24 February

- 09:30 - 10:00 Meeting with Dr. Mark Rowe (Waterford Health Park (opposite Walsh Park) )
- 11:00 - 11:15 Interview with Damien Tiernan RTE and local media
- 11:15 - 12:30 Belview Water Supply Scheme (Marine Point Building, Belview Port, Kilkenny)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Turning of sod for the National Lifeguard Training Centre (T Bay Surf Club, The Prom, Tramore)
- 14:45 - 15:15 Interview with Ian Noctor WLR
- 15:00 - 16:00 Opening of Dungarvan Enterprise Centre (Dungarvan, Co. Waterford)
- 16:00 - 16:15 Dungarvan Town Cllrs (FG) re Town Council Reform (Dungarvan Enterprise Centre)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Visit to Portlaw Fire Station

## 25 February

- 14:00 - 16:00 Attend removal for Florence Noonan RIP (Dooradoyle)

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## 27 February

- 11:00 - 11:30 Rosemary Collier, Director Kilkenny Arts Festival (Constituency office, Kilkenny)
- 12:00 - 13:00 Launch of River Barrow Report (Visual & GBS Theatre, Old Dublin Road, Carlow)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Mark Griffin, Ivan Grimes (CH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Stephen O'Byrnes & Ger Fitzgerald, Abtran (CH)
- 16:00 - 16:15 David (CH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Michael Miley (Harbourmaster)
- 17:30 - 18:00 Michael Layde (CH)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Mary Kelly (CH)

## 28 February

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ☺
- 10:15 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ☺
- 14:15 - 14:45 Briefing with Intel (LH)
- 14:45 - 15:15 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ☺
- 15:15 - 15:45 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 15:45 - 16:15 Owen Ryan, Petra Woods re IIEA speech (LH)
- 18:00 - 19:30 Dail - Dormant Accounts Bill second stage ctd/ [Min O'Dowd] (LH)

## 29 February

- 09:15 - 09:30 Briefing with John O'Neill (CH)
- 09:45 - 10:00 Photoshoot with Ballymun Music Programme (CH)
- 10:30 - 11:00 Eddie (LH)
- 11:30 - 12:30 Meeting with Minister Reilly (LH)
- 12:45 - 14:15 Climate Change Address (IIEA, Nth Gt Georges Street)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Claire Langton (LH)
- 15:00 - 16:30 Seanad: Committee Stage - Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill 2011 (LH)
- 16:40 - 17:00 Minister Howlin (LH)
- 17:45 - 18:15 Open new offices for DAS Group
- 19:45 - 21:15 Flight to London

## 01 March

- 08:30 - 09:45 Breakfast meeting with members of the Irish Councillors Network. (Embassy)
- 11:00 - 12:15 Meeting with Jules Pipe, Mayor of Hackney (Town Hall, Mare Street, Hackney, E8 1EA)
- 12:45 - 14:00 Meeting with Baroness Dee Doocey (City Hall)
- 14:00 - 15:30 Meeting with members of GLA (City Hall)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Meeting with Sir Peter Rogers, Advisor to Mayor of London (City Hall)
- 16:30 - 17:15 Meeting with Eddie Lister, Adviser to Mayor of London (City Hall)
- 17:15 - 17:45 Meeting with Regina Finn, CEO OfWat (City Hall)
- 17:45 - 18:00 Interview with Radio 1 Drivetime

## 02 March

- 10:30 - 13:30 NSMC - Environment (Armagh)
- 17:30 - 18:30 SCSI West event (Ardilaun Hotel, Galway)

## 03 March

- 19:30 - 22:00 BLACK TIE: Kilkenny Lions Club International Dinner (Newpark Hotel)

## 04 March

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## 05 March

- 09:00 - 09:30 Mary Walsh, CEO, Carlow Co Devt (Constituency Office)
- 09:30 - 10:00 Loreto Kilkenny
- 10:45 - 11:00 Cutting of Ribbon for Riverbank Walk (Boardwalk)
- 11:15 - 11:45 Video to promote Kilkenny Arts Festival (Kilkenny Castle)
- 11:45 - 12:30 Kilkenny Walking Festival launch (Set Theatre)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Eddie (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:15 Diary with David (CH)
- 15:15 - 15:45 Briefing with Sec Gen and Rita McNulty (CH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Briefing for Env Council (CH)
- 17:00 - 17:10 Briefing with officials (CH)
- 17:10 - 17:40 Meeting with Denis Leamy and Seamus Boland (CH)
- 18:00 - 19:00 Frank Flannery (CH)

## 06 March

- 10:00 - 11:00 Flight to Cardiff for BIC meeting
- 18:00 - 22:00 Meeting/ Reception with BIC Ministers (Cardiff City Hall)

## 07 March

- 09:00 - 12:30 British Irish Council Ministerial Meeting (City Hall, Cardiff)
- 13:30 - 14:30 Eddie
- 16:00 - 17:00 Eddie

## 08 March

- 08:30 - 10:00 Cab Committee on Public Service Reform
- 08:30 - 08:45 Briefing with Sec. Gen.
- 11:00 - 12:00 Attend launch with Taoiseach and Terry Clune of the Succeed In Ireland initiative (Main Conference Room, Custom House)
- 12:00 - 13:00 Keep Free for Orals prep (CH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Eddie (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:45 Orals (LH)
- 19:00 - 22:00 Travel to Brussels

## 09 March

- 07:00 - 07:30 Briefng with DPR Tom Hanney (Hotel)
- 07:45 - 09:00 Breakfast meeting organised by UK Secretary of State for Energy and Climate Change (10 Avenue d'Auderghem, Oudergemselaan, 1040 Brussels)
- 09:15 - 09:30 Briefing session (Delegation Rooms, JL)
- 09:30 - 20:00 Environment Council (Brussels)

## 10 March

## 11 March

- 13:30 - 14:30 OPW's Kilkenny Castle Open Day

# 12 March 2012 - 18 March 2012

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## 12 March

- 11:30 - 13:30 LG launch of the Succeed in Ireland initiative (Kilkenny Castle)

## 13 March

- 08:45 - 09:15 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 09:15 - 12:00 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 12:30 - 13:30 Meeting with HC Project Board (LH)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↻
- 15:00 - 15:15 Interview with media
- 15:15 - 15:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Minister to attend with the Taoiseach for Tao's PQs (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Catherine Byrne TD re Ballyfermot Star project [Minister O'Sullivan also attending] (LH)
- 18:30 - 19:30 NFGWS ADC (Hodson Bay Hotel, Athlone)

## 14 March

- 09:30 - 10:30 Briefing on New National Policy for Future Devt of Fire Services (CH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Meeting with Donal Connell, CEO, An Post (LH)
- 11:30 - 12:00 Meeting with Minister McEntee and Pyrite Action Group (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:15 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 12:15 - 12:45 Briefing for Committee Stage of the MV (Duties and Licences) Bill (LH)
- 13:00 - 14:00 Lunch meeting with Oaktree Capital (Cellar Restaurant, Merrion Hotel)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Cabinet Committee on Mortgage Arrears (Govt.
- 14:15 - 16:00 Committee Stage - MV (Duties and Licensing) Bill
- 16:00 - 16:30 Eddie (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Meeting with Niall Cody (LH)

## 15 March

- 10:00 - 10:15 Cllr Colm Markey, Peter Fitzpatrick TD (LH)
- 10:15 - 10:30 John Higgins (with Peter Fitzpatrick TD) re Bettystown library (LH)
- 10:45 - 11:00 Ciaran Lynch TD re Household Charge (LH)
- 11:45 - 14:00 Seanad - Report Stage - Electoral Amendment (Poitical Funding) Bill (LH)
- 15:45 - Eddie (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Briefing with Eddie Lewis (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Christy Cooney, Padraic Duffy (LH)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Liam Brown, Joe McGuinness (LH)

## 16 March

- 10:30 - 11:00 Yvonne (LH)
- 11:15 - 12:00 Media Interviews (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Eddie (LH)

## 17 March

- 12:00 - 13:00 Parade - Graiguenamanagh
- 14:00 - 15:00 Parade - Kilkenny
- 15:30 - 16:30 Parade - Goresbridge

## 18 March

- 18:30 - 22:00 James Stephens 125th Anniversary Dinner (Hotel Kilkenny)

# 19 March 2012 - 25 March 2012

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## 19 March

## 20 March

- 14:00 - 14:30 Eddie (CH)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Sean McKeown (CH)
- 15:00 - 16:00 Des Dowling & Denis Conlan re Local Govt Reform (CH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Mark Griffin - Update re Water Policy/Irish Water (CH)

## 21 March

- 09:30 - 09:45 Diary with David (CH)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Photo-op re battery recycling with WEEE Ireland and ERP (CH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Piece to camera for Tidy Towns launch (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Paul Reid, DPER & Sec Gen (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Sean McLaughlin (LH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Briefing on reforms to Building Control (LH)
- 17:25 - 19:30 Second Stage - Dáil - Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill (LH)

## 22 March

- 12:40 - 12:50 Dáil - Report Stage - MV (Duties and Licences) Bill (LH)
- 12:50 - 15:40 Second Stage - Dáil - Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill (LH)

## 23 March

- 10:30 - 10:50 Latton Resource Centre (Latton, Castleblayney)
- 11:30 - 11:50 Zero Carbon House (Middletown, Monaghan Road, Armagh)
- 12:10 - 12:30 Education Campus (Monaghan)
- 12:30 - 13:30 Official Opening of Monaghan Fire Station (Monaghan)
- 13:30 - 13:40 Visit to former C&E offices (Monaghan)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Official Opening of Edgeworthstown Fire Station (Edgeworthstown Co Longford)

## 24 March

## 25 March

# 26 March 2012 - 01 April 2012

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## 26 March

- 11:00 - 12:00 Eddie
- 12:00 - 13:15 Photo-op for launch of TidyTowns 2012 (Malton Hotel, Killarney)
- 17:00 - 18:00 John McCarthy - Briefing on Waste Policy [by Video Link]
- 19:00 - 21:30 Address the Philosophy Club monthly meeting re LG Reform (Royal College of Surgeons)

## 27 March

- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ☞
- 14:00 - 15:00 Briefing on the LGER (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ☞
- 15:45 - 18:00 All Stages - Seanad - MV (Duties and Licencing) Bill (LH)
- 17:45 - 19:30 Dáil - Statements on Mahon Tribunal
- 21:00 - 22:30 Primetime (RTE)

## 28 March

- 08:00 - 08:30 Newstalk
- 09:30 - 09:50 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 10:00 - 10:30 National Spring Clean Campaign launch (Mountjoy Square East)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Interview with Pat Kenny (RTE Radio Centre)
- 11:20 - 13:30 Statements on Mahon Report
- 12:00 - 12:30 Sean Aylward (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 15:45 - 16:00 Topical Issues Debate (LH)
- 16:30 - 19:30 Statements on the Mahon Report
- 17:00 - 17:30 Interview - Today FM [by phone from LH office]

## 29 March

- 11:00 - 11:30 Interview with Sue Nunn - KCLR [by phone] (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Dave Walsh (LH)
- 12:30 - 15:45 Statements on Mahon Report

## 30 March

- 12:00 - 13:00 Meeting with the Taoiseach, Min Deenihan and SGs (Room 3 08 Government Buildings)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Household Charge briefing (CH)

## 31 March

## 01 April

# 02 April 2012 - 08 April 2012

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## 02 April

- 09:30 - 10:30 Signing of MOU with KK CoCo and the city of Suzhou, China (Kilkenny)

## 03 April

- 10:30 - 12:00 Meeting with Cmr. Potocnik and Minister Deenihan (Brussels)
- 18:15 - 20:00 Meeting with Frank Convery and Peter Clinch (UCD Nova (Innovation Centre), off Fosters Ave)

## 04 April

- 11:00 - 12:00 Sean McKeown (CH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Eddie (CH)

## 05 April

- 14:30 - 15:00 Eddie (CH)

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# 09 April 2012 - 15 April 2012

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11 April

- 12:00 - 13:00 Meeting with officials re Household Charge (CH)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Briefing with Teagasc re GMOs (Oakpark, Carlow)
- 16:30 - 17:30 Official Opening of Carlow Museum (College Street, Carlow)

12 April

- 10:30 - 11:30 Bord Failte - ABLE Tourism (Crown Plaza Hotel, Blanchardstown)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Mark Griffin (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Secretary General (CH)

13 April

- 14:45 - 15:30 Biopro Launch (Kilkenny)
- 20:00 - 22:30 LAMA Spring Seminar (Tower Hotel, Waterford)

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# 16 April 2012 - 22 April 2012

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## 16 April

- 09:30 - 10:30 Visit Stephens Barracks (Kilkenny)
- 14:00 - 14:45 Ivan Grimes (CH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Des Dowling (CH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Early Childcare Ireland (CH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Briefing for Informal Env Council (CH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 David (CH)

## 17 April

- 10:00 - 11:00 FG Ministers' pre-Govt meeting (Sycamore Room)
- 11:00 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH)
- 14:00 - 16:00 Yvonne Hyland (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Paul McSweeney (Ashling Hotel)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Depart for airport for flight to Copenhagen

## 18 April

- 09:00 - 18:00 Env Council - Informal (Horsens, Denmark)
- 13:45 - 14:30 Meeting with Matthias Groote MEP, Chair Envi Committee

## 19 April

- 09:00 - 14:30 Env Informal (Denmark)

## 20 April

- 11:00 - 12:15 Succeed In Ireland Community Launch (Parade Tower, Kilkenny Castle)

## 21 April

## 22 April



# 23 April 2012 - 29 April 2012

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## 23 April

- 09:30 - 10:15 Eddie (CH)
- 10:30 - 11:00 David re diary (CH)
- 12:00 - 13:00 Sean, Yvonne (CH)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Meeting with Greenhill, Equity Group Investment [Eddie Lewis PO attending] (Red Cow Hotel)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Sec. Gen. (CH)

## 24 April

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ⇨
- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ⇨
- 15:00 - 15:30 Eddie (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Political meeting on LG Reform (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Briefing on HC (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:15 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 19:00 - 19:30 Briefing for Cab Comm on Mortgage Arrears (LH)
- 19:30 - 21:00 Cabinet Ctte on Mortgage Arrears (LH)

## 25 April

- 09:00 - 09:30 International conference for a Sustainable Built Environment (Royal Hospital Kilmainham)
- 10:45 - 11:00 Briefing with officials (LH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Retail Excellence Ireland (LH)
- 11:45 - 12:00 Briefing with officials (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Institute of Clerk of Works and Building Inspectors in Ireland (LH)
- 14:45 - 15:00 Briefing by video link with Teresa Cawley
- 15:00 - 15:30 Frank Feighan TD + Craughan Development Company (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Minister Hayes, OPW and D/JEI officials (LH)
- 17:30 - 18:00 Kilkenny LEADER Co. - Launch of Food Strategy for the South East (Lyrath Hotel)

## 26 April

- 08:30 - 10:30 MinMAC (CH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 15:40 - 17:40 Statements on establishment of Irish Water and the related Water Metering Programme (LH)
- 19:45 - 20:00 Meeting with Dep. David Stanton and community groups re Youghal Sewerage Scheme (Town Hall, Youghal)

## 27 April

- 09:30 - 10:00 Launch of Ducketts Grove Crafts Centre (Ducketts Grove Estate, Carlow)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Water Safety Officer's Conference (Sevenoaks Hotel, Carlow)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Opening of extension to Gowran N.S. (Gowran, Kilkenny)
- 12:15 - 13:00 Closing Address Irish Planning Institute National Conference (Kilkenny Ormonde Hotel)

## 28 April

## 29 April

# 30 April 2012 - 06 May 2012

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## 30 April

- 12:00 - 12:30 Meet and photo with Mrs. Cooper (born in KK Castle) (Kilkenny Castle)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Launch of Leave No Trace Primary School Resource Centre, Laragh, Co. Wicklow

## 01 May

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 13:30 - 14:00 FG launch of EU Treaty Campaign
- 15:15 - 15:30 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↻
- 15:30 - 16:00 IPBMI (LH)
- 16:15 - 16:45 Ministers O Sullivan and Shortall re mainstreamed drugs projects (LH)

## 02 May

- 09:00 - 09:30 Irish Charities Expo (Industries Hall, RDS)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Gum Litter Taskforce Launch (Top of Grafton Street)
- 11:00 - 12:00 Sean and Yvonne (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 13:00 - 13:30 Launch of Clean Coasts Week (Dollymount Beach)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Orals prep with SG (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Claire (LH)
- 19:00 - 19:30 Briefing with John McCarthy for the Cab Comm on Climate Change (LH)
- 19:30 - 21:00 Cabinet Committee on Climate Change and the Green Economy (LH)

## 03 May

- 07:00 - 07:30 Taoiseach (Govt Buildings)
- 08:00 - 09:30 Cabinet Committee on Social Policy (Sycamore Room)
- 09:30 - 10:00 Des Dowling (LH)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Irish Holstein Fresian Association National Open Day (Jeninstown, Kilkenny)
- 16:00 - 16:15 Photo with Minister Sherlock and students from the Loreto Secondary School, Fermoy (Plinth, LH)
- 16:30 - 17:45 Orals (LH)
- 17:00 - 18:30 Cabinet Committee on European Affairs

## 04 May

- 15:00 - 16:00 Meeting with the Board of the WDC (Ballaghadereen)

## 05 May

## 06 May

# 07 May 2012 - 13 May 2012

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## 07 May

## 08 May

- 08:45 - 09:00 Sec. Gen. (LH)
- 09:00 - 10:30 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↻
- 15:15 - 15:30 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Briefing with officials for meeting with CEBs (LH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Sean McKeown, Delegation from CEBs (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Political meeting re LG Reform (LH)

## 09 May

- 09:30 - 10:30 Chief Fire Officers Association Conference 2012 (Ballymascanlon Hotel, Dundalk)
- 14:30 - 16:30 Annual Showcase of Young Social Innovators Awards (CityWest Convention Centre)
- 16:30 - 19:30 Dáil Second Stage resumed - Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill (LH)

## 10 May

## 11 May

- 16:00 - 17:00 Kilkenny Local Launch of the Gum Litter Taskforce (Parade, Kilkenny)
- 19:15 - 20:00 Meet with ACCC Executive (Newpark Hotel, Kilkenny)
- 20:00 - 22:00 Address ACCC Conference Dinner (Newpark Hotel, Kilkenny)

## 12 May

- 11:00 - 13:00 Canvassing for EU Treaty (Freshford/ Ballyragget/ Castlecomer)

## 13 May

# 14 May 2012 - 20 May 2012

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## 14 May

- 08:30 - 09:30 Breakfast meeting with SIMI (Kilkenny)
- 14:30 - 14:45 Briefing with officials (CH)
- 14:45 - 16:15 IEN/Env Pillar (CH)
- 17:00 - 18:00 Sean, Yvonne (CH)

## 15 May

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room)
- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber)
- 14:30 - 15:00 Eddie (LH)
- 15:00 - 16:00 Briefing with Rita McNulty, Finola Moylette (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Ivan Grimes (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Meeting with Lord Mayor of Dublin (LH)
- 17:15 - 17:45 Topical Issue Debate (LH)
- 21:00 - 22:30 Address the VFI AGM Gala Dinner (Hotel Kilkenny)

## 16 May

- 08:00 - 09:00 Minister to visit UCD's Program for Experimental Atmospheres and Climate (PEAC) facility (UCD)
- 09:00 - 09:30 Open GHG Emissions Reductions workshop for UCD Earth Institute and NESC (UCD)
- 11:00 - 12:00 Briefing re planning matters (LH)

## 17 May

- 10:00 - 10:30 Michael Courtney - Doctoral Research Interview (LH)

## 18 May

- 11:00 - 11:30 Meeting with Paul McSweeney (LG House)
- 14:00 - 15:00 WDC Conference (Carlton Shearwater Hotel, Marina Point, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Meeting with Creggs Village group re sewerage scheme (Carlton Shearwater Hotel)
- 18:30 - 19:00 Meeting with Dep. Penrose and Bob Morrison (Park Hotel, Mullingar)
- 19:00 - 21:30 Westmeath Co Co Cathaoirleach Awards (Belvedere House, Mullingar)

## 19 May

- 11:00 - 13:00 Canvassing for EU Treaty (St. Patrick's, City)
- 14:00 - 16:00 Canvassing for EU Treaty (Johnstown/Urlingford)

## 20 May

# 21 May 2012 - 27 May 2012

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## 21 May

- 10:30 - 12:00 An Taisce Green Schools Awards Ceremony (Silver Springs Moran Hotel, Cork)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Visit Cobh Landslide Programme (Cobh, Co. Cork)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Visit to Cobh Library
- 15:00 - 16:00 Open Middleton Waste Water Treatment Plant Extension (Middleton, Co. Cork)

## 22 May

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↗
- 10:00 - 10:15 Briefing with Pat Macken (LH)
- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↗
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↗
- 15:00 - 15:30 Briefing for JOC meeting (LH)
- 15:30 - 18:00 Department Estimates - Environment Committee (Committee Room 4)
- 19:30 - 19:45 Private Members Bill - Shane Ross - 10min debate (5 x 2) (LH)
- 20:00 - 22:00 GFC Consulting (Merrion Hotel)

## 23 May

- 08:00 - 09:30 Arthur Guinness Fund Awards (Gravity Bar)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Philanthropy Ireland conference - Minister to give the opening address (Alexander Hotel)
- 11:30 - 12:15 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 12:15 - 13:00 John McCarthy, Ronan Mulhall, Sean McKeown (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Anna McKenna - Drogheda City Status (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:00 Diary with David (LH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Eddie (LH)
- 19:00 - 19:30 FBC for LG Amendment Bill

## 24 May

- 08:30 - 09:45 MinMAC (CH)
- 12:00 - 13:30 Official opening of The Kilkenny Research and Innovation Centre (St. Kieran's College, Kilkenny)
- 13:30 - 14:30 Attend with Taoiseach for jobs announcement at Connect Irl. (Kilkenny)
- 17:10 - 17:30 Address Dublin Chamber conference "Address Sustainability - Win in Business" (Byrne Wallace, 88 Harcourt St., D2)

## 25 May

- 18:30 - 19:00 Conference - Occupational Health Society of Ireland (Whites Hotel, Wexford)

## 26 May

- 11:00 - 13:00 Canvassing for EU Treaty

## 27 May

# 28 May 2012 - 03 June 2012

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## 28 May

- 18:30 - 21:00 Canvassing for EU Treaty

## 29 May

- 08:45 - 09:15 Briefing with John McCarthy, Dave Walsh (LH)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 10:00 - 10:30 Meeting with Chair DDDA (LH)
- 10:30 - 12:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 12:30 - 13:00 Yvonne (LH)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (by phone) (LH) ↻
- 14:00 - 16:00 Intel Involved Awards (Leixlip)

## 30 May

- 09:45 - 10:00 Briefing for meeting with the EEB (LH)
- 10:00 - 12:00 Meeting with the EEB SG Jeremy Wates and Policy Director Pieter de Pous (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Diary with David (LH)
- 12:30 - 13:30 Sean, Yvonne (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:30 Meeting with Bord na Mona CEO Gabriel Darcy and Pat Downes re Resource Recovery (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Meeting with the Irish Property Council (LH)

## 31 May

- 10:30 - 11:30 Sec. Gen. (CH)

## 01 June

- 10:45 - 11:30 Remedial Action List/WSIP (Lady Gregory Hotel, Gort)
- 11:30 - 12:00 Launch of Galway Co Co Initiatives (Lady Gregory Hotel, Gort)
- 12:00 - 12:15 Green Flag Raising (Northampton N.S., Kinvara)
- 12:15 - 12:30 Unveil Plaque for Kinvara Water Treatment Plant (Kinvara WTP)
- 12:30 - 13:15 Kiltiernan Group Water Scheme (Kiltiernan)
- 13:45 - 14:30 Lunch (Meadow Court Hotel, Loughrea)
- 13:45 - 13:55 Sen. Healy-Eames, Mark Kelly [10mins] (Meadow Court Hotel)
- 14:30 - 14:45 Carnmore/Clostoken Scheme Sod Turning (adj. Meadow Court Hotel) (Clostoken, Loughrea)
- 14:45 - 15:30 Official Opening of DBO 2 (Lough Rea Hotel)
- 15:30 - 16:45 Co Co Presentations (Regional Office, Barrack St.)
- 16:45 - 17:30 Presentation of Community Grants & Corporate

## 02 June

- 15:00 - 17:30 Clifden 2012 Conference (Station House Theatre, Clifden)

## 03 June

# 04 June 2012 - 10 June 2012

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## 05 June

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↗
- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↗
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↗
- 15:00 - 16:00 Sean McKeown (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Briefing with Michael Layde (LH)
- 17:30 - 19:00 Cabinet Ctte on Mortgage Arrears (LH)

## 06 June

- 09:10 - 09:45 Dublin City BID Conference (Westbury Hotel)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Briefing for Jt Ctte & Env Council (LH)
- 10:30 - 11:15 Joint Ctte on Environment, Transport, Culture & Gaeltacht [ Aarhus and Env Council ] (Ctte Room 4, LH)
- 11:20 - 12:05 Dail - Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill [backup item] (LH)
- 12:00 - 13:00 Briefing for meeting with CCMA (LH)
- 13:30 - 14:00 Meeting with Minister Coveney re LULUCF (LH)
- 14:15 - 14:30 Launch of OSF - Photocall (Govt. Buildings)
- 14:45 - 16:00 Meeting with CCMA (CH)
- 19:30 - 21:00 Dail - PMB re Building Regs/Control (LH)

## 07 June

- 08:30 - 09:00 Briefing for meeting with NAMA (CH)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Meeting with NAMA re Social Housing (Minister's Conference Room, CH)
- 11:15 - 12:45 For info: Dail - PMB re Building Regs/Control (LH)
- 11:30 - 12:45 25th Anniversary Blue Flag Awards (Portmarnock Hotel and Golf Links)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Opening of Tullamore WWTP (Tullamore, Co Offaly)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Visit Molloy Pre Cast Concrete (Clara Road, Tullamore)
- 18:00 - 19:00 Opening of Ballykeeran/Glasson WSIP Scheme (Glasson, Co. Westmeath)

## 08 June

- 13:00 - 13:30 Launch of Kilkenny Bike Week (Kilkenny)
- 19:30 - 22:30 FEE General Assembly Gala Dinner (with An Taisce) (Farmleigh)

## 09 June

## 10 June

- 09:00 - 18:30 Travel to Luxembourg

# 11 June 2012 - 17 June 2012

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■ 09:00 - 17:00 Environment Council (Luxembourg)

## 12 June

■ 08:30 - 09:00 Maria Graham (LH)  
 ■ 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Taoiseach's Dining Room) ↻  
 ■ 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻  
 ■ 14:30 - 15:00 Select Committee Environment - Aarhus Convention and Dormant Accounts Bill (CR 4)  
 ■ 16:30 - 17:00 Debrief with Sec Gen [by phone] (LH) ↻

## 13 June

■ 09:30 - 10:00 St. Patrick's NS Green Flag (Church Road, Greystones, Co. Wicklow)  
 ■ 11:00 - 12:00 Sean, Yvonne (LH)  
 ■ 12:00 - 13:00 Meeting with KLP (Declan Rice) and Carlow LEADER (Mary Walsh) (LH)  
 ■ 14:00 - 15:00 Meeting with Labour Party TDs (LP PP Rooms - LH 2000, Level 0)  
 ■ 15:30 - 16:00 Diary with David (LH)  
 ■ 16:00 - 17:00 Briefing with Mark Griffin on Irish Water (LH)  
 ■ 19:30 - 21:00 Cabinet Committee on Economic Infrastructure (LH)  
 ■ 20:15 - 21:00 Dail - PMB re Planning Inquiries (LH)

## 14 June

■ 08:45 - 09:00 Briefing with Sec. Gen. (LH)  
 ■ 09:15 - 10:45 Cabinet Committee on Public Service Reform (LH)  
 ■ 11:30 - 12:30 Sean, Yvonne (LH)  
 ■ 13:00 - 14:00 Minister Fitzgerald (LH)  
 ■ 15:15 - 15:30 Briefing with Des Dowling (LH)  
 ■ 15:30 - 17:00 Cabinet Cttee on Economic Recovery and Jobs (LH)  
 ■ 17:30 - 18:00 Video Conference with Ivan Grimes (LH)

## 15 June

■ 10:00 - 13:00 NSMC Plenary (Farmleigh)  
 ■ 14:00 - 16:00 NSMC Environment (Farmleigh)

## 16 June

## 17 June



# 18 June 2012 - 24 June 2012

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## 18 June

## 19 June

- 03:45 - 18:00 Travel to UN CSD meeting (Rio de Janeiro)
- 21:00 - 22:00 Briefing with Ambassador and Irish Delegation

## 20 June

- 07:45 - 08:45 Depart Hotel for Riocentro
- 09:00 - 09:30 Minister to sign education MoUs (CNPq) (Bilateral meeting room n° 04)
- 10:00 - 10:30 1st plenary meeting [formal opening] (Pavilion 5)
- 10:30 - 11:00 Bilateral - Vanuatu - Prime Minister Mr. Meltek Sato Kilman Liutavanu (Pavilion 4, Bilateral room n°07)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Bilateral - St Lucia - Minister for Sustainable
- 11:30 - 12:00 Bilateral - Dominica
- 12:00 - 12:30 Interview with Matt Cooper, Today FM (Irish
- 12:30 - 13:00 Eddie (Irish Delegation Office Pav 4 L 11)
- 13:00 - 13:30 Yvonne (Irish Delegation Office Pav 4 L 11)
- 15:00 - 15:45 2nd plenary meeting [Ceremonial Opening]
- 16:00 - 16:15 Group photo - Heads of State/ Govt & Heads of
- 16:30 - 18:30 High Level Round Table meeting: Theme - Looking
- 18:30 - 19:00 Interview with Shane Coleman, Newstalk (Irish
- 19:00 - 19:45 Depart Riocentro for Hotel

## 21 June

- 08:00 - 08:45 Depart Hotel for Riocentro
- 09:30 - 10:00 Bilateral Meeting-Micronesia - President Mr. Emmanuel Mori
- 10:15 - 10:45 Bilateral - Malawi - Minister for Environment and Climate Change Ms. Catherine Gotani Hara, MP (Irish Delegation
- 10:40 - 11:00 Minister signs education MoUs (Capes) (Bilateral meeting room, n° 06. )
- 11:00 - 12:00 Meeting with Irish NGO's (Irish Delegation Office, Pav 4)
- 12:30 - 13:00 Bilateral -Tonga - Ambassador Mr. Sonatane Taumoepeau-Tupou (PR NY) (Irish Delegation Office, Pav 4 )
- 14:45 - 15:15 Bilateral with Executive Director of World Food
- 15:30 - 16:00 Meeting with Jacquie McGlade, EEA (Pav. 4,
- 16:15 - 16:45 Bilateral - Belize - Minister Forestry, Fisheries and
- 17:30 - 18:30 Interview with Frank McDonald, Irish Times
- 21:30 - 22:00 Minister delivers National Statement to Plenary

## 22 June

- 09:00 - 09:45 Depart Hotel for Riocentro
- 11:00 - 11:30 Prime Minister of Bhutan, Jackie McGlade EEA (Irish Delegation Office Pav 4 L 11)
- 14:45 - 15:30 Meeting with Dr. Mary Robinson, Tara Shine (Irish Delegation Office Pav 4 L 11)
- 16:30 - 19:00 Closing session of CSD Rio + 20

## 23 June

- 14:30 - 15:00 Depart Hotel for airport
- 16:30 - 17:30 Depart Rio de Janeiro

## 24 June

- 11:30 - 12:00 Arrival in Dublin Airport

# 25 June 2012 - 01 July 2012

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## 25 June

- 13:00 - 13:30 Minister to welcome delegates to the DRIERS conference - Design Institute of Emergency Relief Systems (Ormonde Hotel, Kilkenny)
- 15:00 - 15:45 Sean, Yvonne (CH) ↻
- 16:00 - 16:30 Launch of the EPA's State of the Environment Report (St. Stephen's Green)
- 16:30 - 17:15 SG + Maurice Coughlan (LH)
- 17:15 - 17:45 Meet and greet with Dep. Deering and Unum Reps. (LH)
- 18:30 - 19:00 Briefing with Michael Layde for Cab. Comm. (LH)
- 19:00 - 20:30 Cabinet Ctte on Mortgage Arrears (Sycamore Room)

## 26 June

- 09:00 - 10:00 Taoiseach and FG Ministers (Sycamore Room) ↻
- 10:00 - 13:00 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 13:45 - 14:15 Briefing for JOC meeting (LH)
- 14:15 - 15:45 JOC Environment re Septic Tank Inspection Regs.
- 16:30 - 17:30 Media re Septic Tank Inspection Regs.
- 17:30 - 18:00 Debrief with Sec Gen [by phone] (LH) ↻

## 27 June

- 08:15 - 08:30 Interview - Morning Ireland
- 08:30 - 09:00 Sean, Yvonne (LH)
- 09:00 - 10:00 Des Dowling, Denis Conlan re LG Reform (LH)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Briefing on the report of the Pyrite Panel (LH)
- 10:30 - 11:00 Diary with David (LH)
- 11:15 - 11:30 Briefing with Declan Bourke (LH)
- 11:30 - 12:15 Ministers Rabbitte and O'Dowd re National Broadband Plan (LH)
- 14:45 - 15:00 Briefing with Gerry Flannery re Doolin Sewerage Scheme
- 15:00 - 15:30 Senator Martin Conway & Doolin Sewerage Ctte Delegation (LH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Orals Prep with Sec Gen (LH)

## 28 June

- 08:30 - 10:00 MinMAC (CH)
- 10:00 - 10:45 Meeting with Bord Gais (CH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Launch of Governance Code for Voluntary and Community Sector (Round Room, Mansion House, Dawson Street)
- 11:45 - 12:00 Briefing with Des Dowling (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 SIMI (LH)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Meeting re HC - Des Dowling, Jackie Maguire, LGMA. (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:45 ORALS (LH)
- 18:30 - 19:00 Media briefing re e-voting (CH)

## 29 June

- 09:20 - 09:50 Official Opening of Sligo Leader HQ (Pearse Road, Sligo)
- 10:00 - 11:00 Sligo Leader Seminar (Sligo Park Hotel)
- 11:00 - 11:15 Interview with Ocean FM
- 11:30 - 11:45 Photo-op with Sligo CoCo staff re ST Registrations
- 12:00 - 13:00 Launch of WDC Million Euro Micro Energy Fund (Dock Arts Centre, Carrick-on-Shannon)
- 13:10 - 13:40 Leitrim County Manager + officials (Landmark)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Patrick Curran's Tourism Accommodation (Fenagh,
- 14:50 - 15:10 Meet Leitrim Development Company
- 15:15 - 15:35 'People's Park' Project (Drumshanbo)
- 15:40 - 16:10 Visit McGuire's Cottages/Bakery (Drumshanbo)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Opening of Drumkeerin Sewerage Plant
- 17:20 - 17:40 Visit Lock Up Alarms (Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Glencar Community Park (Glencar)
- 18:30 - 19:00 Lough Melvin Eco-Park (Kinlough, Co. Leitrim)

## 30 June

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# 02 July 2012 - 08 July 2012

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- 15:00 - 15:30 Sean, Yvonne (CH) ↗
- 15:30 - 15:45 Russell O'Halloran (CH)
- 15:45 - 16:00 Eddie (CH)
- 16:00 - 17:00 Des Dowling, Denis Conlan re LG Reform (CH)
- 17:00 - 18:00 Briefing with Mark Griffin (CH)

## 03 July

- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↗
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↗
- 15:30 - 16:00 Eddie (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Sen. Ronan Mullen (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:30 Briefing with Des Dowling, Denis Conlan re LG Reform (LH)
- 18:00 - 18:30 Briefing with Donal Enright for Cab. Comm. (LH)
- 18:30 - 20:00 Cabinet Cttee on Economic Recovery and Jobs (LH)

## 04 July

- 10:00 - 10:30 Photocall - Launch Town & City Management Framework (Custom House)
- 11:00 - 11:45 Interview with KCLR (Dail Studio - Kidare House)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Frank Flannery + Forum on Philanthropy members (LH)
- 12:30 - 13:00 Eddie (LH)
- 13:30 - 14:30 Launch of the Report of the Forum on Philanthropy (National Library)

## 05 July

- 09:00 - 10:00 Travel to Nicosia for launch of Cypriot presidency (for Tao.)

## 06 July

## 07 July

- 09:00 - 10:00 Informal Environment Council (Nicosia, Cyprus)

## 08 July

- 09:00 - 10:00 Informal Environment Council (Nicosia, Cyprus)

# 09 July 2012 - 15 July 2012

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## 09 July

- 11:30 - 12:00 Turning of sod at St. Luke's Hospital extension (Kilkenny)
- 16:00 - 16:40 Sean, Yvonne (CH) ↻
- 16:40 - 17:00 Des Dowling/Denis Conlan - LG Policy paper (CH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Briefing for Pyrite-related meetings (CH)
- 17:30 - 18:30 Meeting with Irish Insurance Federation (CH)
- 18:30 - 19:00 Minister of State McEntee (CH)

## 10 July

- 10:30 - 13:30 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ↻
- 14:30 - 15:00 Debrief with Sec Gen (LH) ↻
- 15:00 - 15:30 Cllrs. Connie Hannify and Billy Carey (LH)
- 15:30 - 16:30 Minister to sit with the Taoiseach for Tao's PQs (LH)
- 16:45 - 17:00 Briefing for meeting with Irish Concrete Federation (LH)
- 17:00 - 18:00 Meeting with Irish Concrete Federation (LH)

## 11 July

- 09:00 - 10:00 Meeting with CIF (CH)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Sean McKeown (CH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Briefing for Committee Stage (LH)
- 11:30 - 13:00 Committee Stage of the Electoral Amendment (Political Funding) Bill
- 14:30 - 15:00 Family Resource Centres - Briefing for Oireachtas members (Shelbourne Hotel)
- 15:45 - 16:00 Briefing with Donal Enright & Barry Quinlan (LH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Irish Sports Council (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:30 Des Dowling, Denis Conlan re LG Reform (LH)
- 18:00 - 19:30 Dail - Electoral (Amendment) Bill 2012 (LH)

## 12 July

- 09:30 - 10:00 Mary Sutton (CH)
- 16:45 - 18:00 Seanad - Electoral Amendment Bill (LH)

## 13 July

- 09:00 - 09:15 Attend NuFlow jobs announcement with Minister Bruton and Deputy Durkan (Custom House)
- 10:00 - 11:00 Meeting re Water Reform Prog. (CH)
- 11:20 - 12:30 Attend meeting with Taoiseach and Prof. Pajendra Pachauri, Chairman of the IPCC (Government Buildings)
- 14:15 - 14:30 Briefing for meeting with HomeBond (LH)
- 14:30 - 15:30 Meeting with HomeBond - Conor Taaffe and John Kennedy (LH)

## 14 July

## 15 July

# 16 July 2012 - 22 July 2012

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## 16 July

- 13:45 - 14:00 (CH)
- 14:00 - 14:15 Denis Conlan (CH)
- 14:15 - 14:30 Briefing for meeting with the IBF (CH)
- 14:30 - 15:30 Meeting with Irish Banking Federation (CH)
- 15:30 - 16:15 Sean, Yvonne (CH) ☺
- 16:15 - 16:30 Briefing with Nina Murray (CH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 GAA & IRFU (CH)
- 17:00 - 17:20 Steve Preece, Egis Projects (CH)
- 17:30 - 18:00 Eddie (CH)

## 17 July

- 09:00 - 10:00 FG Ministers' meeting
- 10:00 - 10:15 Briefing with John McCarthy, Ronan Mulhall (LH )  
- Phil Hogan - (DECLG)
- 10:15 - 13:15 Government Meeting (Council Chamber) ☺
- 15:00 - 16:00 Briefing - Kevin O'Donoghue (CH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Debrief with Sec Gen (CH) ☺
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## 18 July

- 09:30 - 10:00 Photo-op for launch of Anti-Litter Campaign (CH )
- 10:00 - 10:15 Minister to drop into GPP meeting (Main  
Conference Room, CH)
- 10:30 - 11:00 David Leach re LG Reform (LH)
- 11:15 - 11:30 Briefing with Nina Murray (LH [by video link])
- 11:30 - 12:00 Galway Oir Members (LH)
- 12:30 - 13:00 Sen. Pat O'Neill , Tony Carroll (LH)
- 14:00 - 15:00 Press Conference re Report of the Pyrite Panel  
(Main Conference Room, CH)
- 16:00 - 16:30 Minister Rabbitte re Affordable Energy/PAYS/BER  
(LH - Minister Rabbitte's Office)
- 21:00 - 21:30 Stephen Donnelly TD (LH)

## 19 July

- 08:30 - 10:00 MinMAC (CH)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Eddie (LH)
- 12:00 - 12:30 Briefing for Electoral (Amendment) (Political  
Funding ) Bill - Report Stage (LH)
- 13:00 - 15:00 Dail : Report and Final Stages - Electoral  
Amendment (Political Funding) Bill (LH)
- 15:00 - 15:45 Dail - Statements on Govt Response to Mahon  
Report (LH)
- 16:30 - 17:00 Seamus Boland (LH)
- 17:00 - 17:30 Briefing with Michael Layde for Cab. Comm. (LH)
- 17:30 - 19:00 Cabinet Committee on Mortgage Arrears  
(Sycamore Room) - Ian Murphy - (DECLG)

## 20 July

- 08:00 - 09:30 Govt. Media Roster [20-22 July] ☺
- 12:00 - 13:15 Report to Seanad of amendments to the Electoral  
(Amendment) (Political Funding) Bill (LH)
- 14:00 - 14:30 Eddie (LH)

## 21 July

- 08:00 - 09:30 Govt. Media Roster [20-22 July] ☺

## 22 July

- 08:00 - 09:30 Govt. Media Roster [20-22 July] ☺